

This area contains information about the software products that we use at Saigon South International School.

General Purpose

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
LibreOffice	Y	Y	Y	Office productivity suite: Text processing, spreadsheets, presentations, drawing...
Scribus	Y	Y	Y	Desktop publishing (like Publisher or Adobe InDesign)
Adobe Acrobat Reader	Y	Built-in	(Preview)	PDF reader
PDFCreator	Y	Built-in	Built-in	Virtual PDF printing/creating
Firefox	Y	Y	Y	Web browsing
Google Chrome	Y	Y	Y	Web browsing
Avira	Y	Not needed	Not needed?	Anti Virus
IZArc	Y	Built-in	N	File compression
PeaZip	Y	Y	N	File-compression
FirstClass	Y	N	Y	Mail Client

Multimedia

Image

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
Blender	Y	Y	Y	3D design
Google SketchUp	Y	N	Y	3D design
Inkscape	Y	Y	Y	Vector design (like Illustrator), PDF editing
Pinta	Y	Y	Y	Image editor (simpler than Photoshop), replaces Paint.Net

GIMP + Plugins	Y	Y	Y	Image editor (like Photoshop)
Google Picasa	Y	Shotwell	Y	Photo management and simple editing
Shotwell	N	Y	N iPhoto	Photo management and simple editing
PicPick	Y	Built-in	N	Simple image editing, screen capturing, and more image tools
Irfanview	Y	Shotwell, GThumb	N	Image conversion/viewing, screen capturing

Audio

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
Audacity	Y	Y	Y	Audio editor and recorder
Ardour	N	Y	Y	Professional grade audio sequencer.
LMMS	Y	Y	N	Audio sequencer, FruityLoops clone
TuxGuitar	Y	Y	Y	Score and tablature editor
MuseScore	Y	Y	Y	Music composition & notation software

Video

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
Jing - limited free edition	Y	Kazam		Screencast recording
Kazam	N	Y	N	Screencast recording
Microsoft Photo Story 3	Y	ffDiaporama	N	Show-n-tell, presentations with audio...
Pencil Animation	Y	Y	Y	"Old-school", stop-motion animation
Avidemux	Y	Y	Y	Simple video editor and converter
Windows MovieMaker	Y	OpenShot	iMovie?	Simple non-linear video editor
ffdshow	Y	Built-in		Video and audio codecs

VideoPad - Free basic edition	Y	OpenShot Kdenlive	N	Non-linear video editor
OpenShot	N	Y	N	Non-linear video editor
Debut Video Capture - Free basic edition	Y	Kazam Cheese GuvViewer	N Quicktime	Webcam and screencast recording
Cheese	N	Y	N Photobooth	Webcam photobooth and video recorder
GUvcViewer Webcam Capture	N	Y	Built In	Webcam video recorder
ffDiaporama	Y	Y	N	Slideshow maker with effects

Miscellaneous Multimedia

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
Quicktime	Y	Built-in	Built-in	Multimedia player
VLC Media Player	Y	Y	Y	Multimedia player
FormatFactory	Y	N	N	Multimedia all-in-one format converter
MikSoft Mobile Media Converter	Y	Y	Y	Multimedia all-in-one format converter

Educational

Science

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
Phun	Y	Y	Y	Physics simulator
Celestia	Y	Y	Y	
Stellarium	Y	Y	Y	
Virtual Microscope	Y	Y	Y	

Math

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
GeoGebra	Y	Y	Y	Geometry/Algebra
Mathematica Player	Y	Y	Y	Free player for Wolfram interactive application
Wabbit - calculator emulator	Y	TiLem	Y	Texas Instruments calculator emulator
TiLem - calculator emulator	N	Y	N	Texas Instruments calculator emulator

Other Educational

Program Name	Windows	MS Netbooks	MacOSX	Purpose
CMap Tools				Concept mapping
FreeMind	Y	Y	Y	Mindmapping
Google Earth	Y	Y	Y	3D World map
Scratch	Y	Y	Y	Educational programming environment
Alice				Educational programming environment
Eclipse + Sun's Java Development Kit (JDK)				Programming environment
Evernote	Y	N	Y	Notetaking